



In re Application of:

AKINORI TAKEO et al.

Application No.: 09/911,690

Filed: July 25, 2001

For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS  
ISSUING JOB TO PERIPHERAL DEVICE AND  
METHOD FOR ISSUING JOB TO PERIPHERAL  
DEVICE

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 12	MINUS	** 49	= 0	x \$25 \$50	\$0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 6	MINUS	*** 11	= 0	x \$100 \$200	\$0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360						\$0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$0

\* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

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Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

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Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

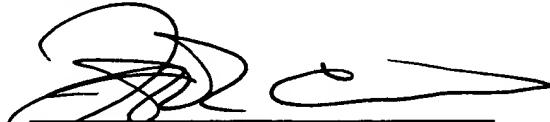
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A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows: